



Richard Dale Beckham

February 26, 2021

Richard Dale Beckham "Hillbilly" 64, of Hawthorne, Florida, passed away on Friday, February 26, 2021. Ricky is survived by his wife of 16 years, Idell Beckham and their much-loved fur baby Cody. He was also blessed with many aunts, uncles and cousins. Ricky was born in Gainesville, FL on May 5, 1956 to parents Clarence and Betty Beckham. As a young man Ricky grew watermelons with his Dad. He continued to farm, run tractors, and heavy equipment on and off throughout his life.

Ricky was a self-employed truck driver for many years. It was during these times he found the beautiful river rock that would become part of Hillbilly Rocks and eventually led to an affiliation with his friend's at Green House Nursery.

One of Ricky's favorite things to do was cook. If you never had the pleasure of eating his food, you truly missed out. He was generous with his time and his food. He often cooked for friends and was always willing to cook for people whatever the need. Fishing was also a big favorite of his and he would often have a fish fry for friends and family.

Ricky touched so many people throughout his life. He was one of the best friends you could ever ask for. Ricky was much loved and will be missed by many. The world seems a little less bright without you friend. May you rest in eternal peace.

Please join us for the Celebration of Ricky's Life:

May 1, 2021 at 1pm

17525 NE US Highway 301

Waldo, FL 32694

Comments



“ I knew Ricky as a child. He was always so caring, thoughtful, and loving. During my time with him, my family and I grew to love him. We shared a love for food experiences. Although it has been many years since I seen him, I missed him and love him. Rest easy until we meet again.

Delena Green - March 23 at 10:09 AM



“ Dru, Fritz & Brian Davis lit a candle in memory of Richard Dale Beckham



Dru, Fritz & Brian Davis - March 10 at 10:30 PM



“ Ricky was one of my best frends from kindergarten through high school. From the playground , JV football, marching band and the FFA he was always fun to be around.
I had the prividge to visit Ricky at his home and buisness in Waldo during my visits home.He will be missed by all.

Jimmy Dugger
HHS Class of 1974

Jim Dugger - March 07 at 10:02 AM



“ Hugs and prayers to all.. Ricky was a cool person!!!

Ramona Bradford - March 05 at 05:47 PM